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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON.—F. ALGAR, 11 & 12, *Cement's Lane, Temple Street, E.C.* GEORGE STREET & CO., 30, *Cornhill*, GORDON & GORCH, *Leadenhall Street*, E.C. BATES HENDY & CO., 37, *Walbrook*, E.C. SAMUEL DEACON & CO., 160 & 164, *Leadenhall Street*.

PARIS AND EUROPE.—GALLEN & PRINCE, 36, *Rue Lafayette, Paris*. NEW YORK.—ANDREW WIND, 133, *Nassau Street*.

AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND.—GORDON & GORCH, *McLaurie and Sydney*.

SAN FRANCISCO AND AMERICA PORTS generally.—BRAN & BLACK, *Sua Francisco*.

SINGAPORE, STRAITS, &c.—SAYLE & Co., *Singapore*, C. HEINRICH & Co., *Manila*.

CHINA.—Macao, MESSRS A. DE MELLO & Co., *Suatow, Campbell & Co.* Amoy, WILSON, NICHOLS & Co., *Foochow*, HENRI & Co., *Shanghai*, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., *Yokohama*, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., *Yokohama*.

Banks.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, £5,000,000 Dollars. RESERVE FUND, £2,100,000 Dollars.

COURT OF DIRECTORS.
Chairman—H. L. DALRYMPLE, Esq.
Deputy Chairman—W. M. RAINIER, Esq.

H. HODGKIN, Esq., M. E. SASSOON, Esq., H. F. B. JOHNSON, Esq., C. VINCENT SMITH, Esq., A. P. McEwen, Esq., W. S. YOUNG, Esq., A. McIVER, Esq., F. D. SASSOON, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER.
HONGKONG, THOMAS JACKSON, Esq.

MANAGER.
SHANGHAI, EWEY CAMERON, Esq.

LONDON BANKERS.—London and County Bank.

HONGKONG.
INTEREST ALLOWED.

ON Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

For Fixed Deposits:—
For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " 4 " " " "
" 12 " 5 " " " "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.
Credit granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.
Office of the Corporation,
No. 1, Queen's Road East.

Hongkong, March 22, 1882.

COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS.

(Incorporated 7th & 18th March, 1848.)

RECOGNISED by the INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION OF 30th APRIL, 1862.

CAPITAL FULLY PAID-UP, £3,200,000. RESERVE FUND, £900,000.

HEAD OFFICE—14, Rue Bichevre, PARIS.

AGENCIES AND BRANCHES at: LONDON, BOMBAY, SAN FRANCISCO, MANILA, CALCUTTA, HANKOW, YOKOHAMA, SHANGHAI, FOOCHOW, AMOY, and SYDNEY.

LONDON BANKERS: THE BANK OF ENGLAND.

THE UNION BANK OF LONDON.

MEMBERS C. J. HAMBRO & SON.

The Hongkong Agency receives Fixed Deposits on Terms to be ascertained on application, grants Drafts and Credits on all parts of the World, and transacts every description of Banking Exchange Business.

F. COCHINARD, Agent, Hongkong.
Hongkong, February 8, 1882.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.

(Incorporated by Royal Charter.)

PAID-UP CAPITAL, £1,500,000.

RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.

At 3 months' notice 3 per cent. per annum.

" 6 " " 4 " " " "
" 12 " " 5 " " " "

Current Accounts kept on Terms which may be learnt on application.

GEO. O. SCOTT, Manager.

Oriental Bank Corporation,
Hongkong, September 4, 1879.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE.)

CAPITAL—Two Millions Sterling.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Goods on board Vessels, and on Hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms and Conditions.

Proposals for Life Assurance will be received, and transmitted to the Directors for their decision.

If required, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single Life.

For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co., Agents, Hongkong & Canton.

Hongkong, January 4, 1887.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE

THE Undersigned has Admitted Mr. M. L. SALAMON into PARTNERSHIP from this date, and the BUSINESS in future will be conducted under the Style of "HOLMES & SALAMON."
(Signed) GEORGE HOLMES.
Queen's Road Central,
1st May, 1882. jol

NOTICE

THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY of the Undersigned in the Firm of MORRIS, D. D. OLLIA & Co., of Amoy, FOOCHOW, TAKAO and TAIWAN, has CEASED from the 30th of April, 1882.
E. N. MEHTA,
B. S. MEHTA.

WE HAVE THIS DAY commenced BUSINESS as MERCHANTS and COMMISSION AGENTS at Amoy, FOOCHOW and TAIWAN, under the Style and Firm of "MEHTA & Co."
E. N. MEHTA,
B. S. MEHTA.

Hongkong, May 1, 1882. jol

NOTICE

THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY of Mr. CHARLES KAHN in our Firm CEASED on the 30th April, 1882.

Hongkong, Shanghai, 1st May, 1882. aul

NOTICE

THE Undersigned have been appointed SOLE AGENTS for the Sale of their GOODS by Messrs KYNOC & Co., of WITTON, near BIRMINGHAM.
MEYER & Co.
Hongkong, August 13, 1881. 13an82

NOTICE

THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY of Mr. FRANCIS BLACKWELL FORBES in our Firm, CEASED on the 31st December, 1881.

Hongkong and China, 25th April, 1882. my26

NOTICE

WE HAVE BEEN APPOINTED AGENTS for the MITSU BISHI MAIL S.S. CO. of Tokio, at this Port.

GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.
Hongkong, February 1, 1882.

NOTICE

THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY of Mr. NERESIM ISAAC SIEAS in our Firm in China and Hongkong CEASED on the 31st December, 1881.

E. D. SASSOON & Co.
Hongkong, April 24, 1882. my9

NOTICE

OUR BRANCH ESTABLISHMENT here is DISCONTINUED from this date. Mr. ROBERT LYALL is authorized to Act as our AGENT to receive and pay all sums due to and by us here.

GEO. SMITH & Co.
Hongkong, April 29, 1882. my6

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For Sale.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

HAVE RECEIVED SUPPLIES OF

PEARS' TRANSPARENT WASH BALLS.

PEARS' TRANSPARENT SOAP TABLETS.

PEARS' TRANSPARENT SHAVING STICKS.

PEARS' ASSORTED SOAPS for the Bath.

FARINA'S EAU DE COLOGNE.

HENDRIE'S CHOICEST PERFUMES.

DEVOE'S NONPAREIL KEROSENE OIL.

150° test and therefore perfectly safe.

Hongkong, May 1, 1882. my12

To Let.

TO BE LET.

THE FRONT PORTION of PREMISES formerly occupied by the late E. CHARTER & Co., 15, QUEEN'S ROAD. Suitable for either One or Two OFFICES or a STORE.

Apply to HONGKONG DISPENSARY.
Hongkong, May 1, 1882.

TO LET.

(WITH IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.)

THE HOUSE known as "PARADE VILLA," ROBINSON ROAD.

For Particulars, apply to G. R. LAMBERT, Pedlar's Wharf.

Hongkong, May 1, 1882.

TO LET.

COMMODOUS OFFICES and Commodious QUARTERS, with or without GODOWNS, in Pedlar's Wharf Building, at present in the occupation of Messrs Hesse & Co. View of the Harbour. Possession to be had from the 1st May next.

Apply to G. R. LAMBERT.
Hongkong, April 5, 1882.

GODOWNS TO LET.

PRATA EAST and WANGCHAI ROAD.

For Particulars, apply to SIEMSEN & Co.
Hongkong, April 26, 1882.

TO LET.

OFFICES in No. 13, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL Nos. 4 and 9, SEYMOUR TERRACE.

Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.
Hongkong, March 24, 1882.

TO LET.

(WITH POSSESSION ON THE 1st MAY.)

THE NEW FAMILY RESIDENCE situated next to EXCELSIOR on Robinson Road, replete with every convenience, TENNIS LAWN, STABLES, &c.

Also, 8 FIRST-CLASS GODOWNS of all Sizes—Water-side. Inspection is invited.

Apply to SHARP, TOLLER & JOHNSON.
Hongkong, April 3, 1882.

Intimations.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

PROBATE JURISDICTION.

In the Goods of OLIVER CALVERT, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in accordance with the Provisions of Ordinance No. 9 of 1870, Section 3, an Order has been made by the Honourable GEORGE PEARCE, Chief Justice of the said Court, limiting the time for Creditors and others to send in their CLAIMS against the above Estate, to FRIDAY, the 12th day of May, 1882, on or before which date all Claims must be proved, otherwise they will not be included in the scheme of Division.

All Persons INDEBTED to the said Estate are required to make immediate Payment to

EDW. J. ACKROYD,
Official Administrator.

Hongkong, April 13, 1882. my12

COLONEL IRE AUSTIN'S NEW AMERICAN RIFLE RANGE, BOWLING ALLEY, HONGKONG HOTEL.

OPEN ON MONDAY, MAY 1st, 1882.

BELL TARGETS, FLYING AND STATIONARY BIRDS, &c., &c.

Popular Prices: FOUR SHOTS for 25 CENTS.

Gallery open daily from 4 to 12 p.m., to all respectable Members of the Community.

Hongkong, April 29, 1882.

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Insurances.

THAMES AND MERSEY MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE—1, ROYAL EXCHANGE BUILDINGS, LONDON.

THE Undersigned having been appointed AGENTS in HONGKONG and CHINA for the above Company are prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at Current Rates, allowing usual Discounts.

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, May 3, 1881. 3my82

PRUSSIAN NATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY, OF STETTIN.

THE Undersigned having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared to Grant Insurances against FIRE at Current Rates.

MEYER & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, May 10, 1881. 10my82

THE TOKIO MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE MITSU BISHI MAIL S.S. CO. having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company, the Undersigned is prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at Current Rates and usual Discounts.

H. J. H. TRIPP, Agent, M. B. S. S. Co.

Hongkong, April 26, 1882. oc27

NOTICE.

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned are prepared to accept Risks on First Class Godowns at 1 per cent. nett premium per annum.

NORTON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, May 19, 1881.

YANGTZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION.

CAPITAL (Fully Paid-up) £420,000.00. RESERVE FUND £230,000.00. SPECIAL RESERVE FUND £288,936.17.

TOTAL CAPITAL AND ACCUMULATIONS, 2nd April, 1881, £938,936.17.

Directors: H. DE G. FORBES, Esq., Chairman. J. H. PINCKVOS, Esq., W. MEYERINX, Esq., A. J. M. LIVERARTY, Esq., G. H. WHEELER, Esq.

HEAD OFFICE—SHANGHAI. Messrs RUSSELL & Co., Secretaries.

LONDON BRANCH: Messrs BARNING BROTHERS & Co., Bankers.

RICHARD BLACKWELL, Esq., Agent, 68 and 69, Cornhill.

Policies granted on Marine Risks to all Parts of the World.

Subject to a Charge of 12 1/2 per cent. on Shareholders' Capital, all the Profits of the UNDERTAKING BUSINESS are annually distributed among all Contributors of Business in proportion to the Premium paid by them.

RUSSELL & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, April 28, 1882. 1oc82

Notices to Consignees.

CASTLE LINE OF STEAMERS.

FROM GLASGOW AND SINGAPORE.

THE S. S. *Shilling Castle*, MARSHALL, Commander, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods, are being landed at their risk, into the Godowns of the Undersigned at Wharfedale, whence and/or from the Wharves or Boats delivery may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-day.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 4th Proximo will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, April 28, 1882. my6

FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship *Gloucester* having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods—with the exception of Opium—are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence and/or from the Wharves or Boats delivery may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-morrow, the 27th Instant.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the 4th May will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, April 26, 1882. my3

Shipping.

Steamers.

FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.

Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENSLAND PORTS, taking sufficient indentment cargo, and taking through cargo to NEW ZEALAND, NEW CALEDONIA, FIJI and TASMANIA.

The Steamer "Cruiser" will be despatched above on or about the 20th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, May 1, 1882.

Shipping.

Steamers.

FOR VICTORIA (VANCOUVER'S ISLAND).

The 100 A 1 British Steamship "Cicopus," Captain JOY, will be despatched for the above Port on or about WEDNESDAY NEXT, the 3rd Proximo.

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, April 28, 1882.

STEAM TO BOMBAY VIA STRAITS.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship "Acon," Captain J. H. KENT, will leave for the above place at 3 p.m. on THURSDAY, 4th Prox.

A. McIVER, Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, April 20, 1882. my4

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

Entertainment.

THEATRE ROYAL,
CITY HALL, HONGKONG.

ITALIAN OPERA COMPANY.

SIGNOR HOFLOCH

Begs to inform the Public of Hongkong, that

THERE WILL BE

AN EXTRA PERFORMANCE,

THIS EVENING,

2nd May, 1882,

FOR THE BENEFIT OF

SIGNORA ANNUNZIATA SILINI,

PRIMA CONTRALTASSO ASSOLUTA.

When will be produced by General de

DONIZETTI'S GRAND OPERA

"LA FAVORITA."

DRAMATIS PERSONÆ:

Alfonso XI. King of Sicily, Signor G. Cacci-

Castello.

Leonora di Guzman, Signora A. Silini.

Fernando, Signor J. Vanzetti.

Baldassaro (Superior of the

Convent of San), Signor Corti.

Giacomo, Signor Brumetti.

Don Gaspare, Signor Brumetti.

Ines (Confidant to Leonora), Signora Bertolini.

Between the Acts

SIGNORA SILINI,

kindly assisted by

SIGNOR VANTZETTI AND CIOCCI

will sing THE GRAND THEATRE FROM

VERDI'S FAMOUS OPERA

"I LOMBARDI."

The Subscription List is now open at

Messrs KELLY & WALSH'S.

Hongkong, May 2, 1882.

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THEATRE ROYAL,

CITY HALL.

UNDER THE PATRONAGE OF H. E. THE

ADMINISTRATOR.

ITALIAN OPERA COMPANY

SIXTH PERFORMANCE

SECOND SUBSCRIPTION SERIES

Will be given on

SATURDAY EVENING,

the 6th Instant,

When will be produced

"POLIUTO."

GRAND OPERA BY DONIZETTI.

Prices of Admission:

Dress Circle, \$3.

Stalls, \$2.

Pit, \$1.

Tickets to be obtained at Messrs KELLY

& WALSH'S, and at the Doors.

Doors open at 8.30 p.m.; Performance to

commence at 9 p.m., sharp.

Ladies unaccompanied by Gentlemen

cannot be admitted.

A. HOFLOCH.

Hongkong, May 1, 1882.

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Insurance.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE.

Incorporated by Royal Charter of

His Majesty King George The First,

A. D. 1720.

THE Undersigned having been appointed

Agents for the above Corporation, are

prepared to grant Insurances as follows:—

Marine Department.

Policies at current rates, payable either

here, in London or at the principal Ports

of India, China and Australia.

Fire Department.

Policies issued for long or short periods at

current rates.

Life Department.

Policies issued for sums not exceeding

\$5,000 at reduced rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, July 25, 1872.

THE SOUTH BRITISH FIRE AND

MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY

OF NEW ZEALAND.

CAPITAL £1,000,000 (One Million Sterling).

Unlimited Liability of Shareholders.

THE Undersigned having been appointed

AGENTS for the above Company are

prepared to accept FIRE and MARINE

RISKS at Current Rates, allowing usual

Discounts.

GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.

Hongkong, July 1, 1881.

THE CITY OF LONDON FIRE IN-

SURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL £2,000,000. PAID-UP, £200,000.

PAID-UP RESERVE FUND, £50,000.

THE Undersigned having been appointed

AGENTS for the above Company are

prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against

FIRE at Current Rates.

GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.

Hongkong, January 1, 1882.

To-day's Advertisements.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOCHOW.

Owing to the inclemency

of the weather the

Steamship

"Thetis,"

Captain Pocock, will be despatched for the

above Ports on THURSDAY, the 4th Inst.,

at Noon, instead of as previously advertised.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, May 2, 1882.

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FOR FOCHOW (DIRECT).

The Steamship

"Glenogier,"

Captain J. A. GASSON,

will be despatched for the

above Port on THURSDAY, the 4th May,

at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Hongkong, May 2, 1882.

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FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.

(Taking Cargo and Passengers for ADE-

LAIDE, all NEW ZEALAND,

TASMANIAN, FIJI and

NEW CALEDONIAN PORTS.)

The Steamship

"Fischer,"

Captain HEINTZELMANN,

will be despatched for the

above Port TAKAO, on THURSDAY, the

4th Instant, at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.

Hongkong, May 2, 1882.

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NOTICE.

THE INTEREST AND RESPONSIBILITY OF

MR. WOO TAI in the Firm of "SHANG

TAI WOO," dealer in Cotton and Opium,

No. 30, Wing Lok Street, has ceased from

the 1st of May, 1882, as he has withdrawn

his Principal and Interest therefrom.

We, the Undersigned, have, this day,

commenced BUSINESS under the same

Style and Firm of "SHANG TAI WOO."

The Business of the said Firm will in future

be carried on solely in the Interest of the

Undersigned.

SHANG TAI WOO,

Cotton and Opium Dealers.

Hongkong, May 2, 1882.

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COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of the following Cargo

are requested to send in their Bills of

Lading to the Undersigned for counter-

signature, and take immediate delivery.

This Cargo has been landed and stored at

their risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Ex Singapore.

R. M. No. 1, 1 Oak Wine, Order, from

Marseilles.

Ex Oran.

S. H. S. (in dia.), No. 1076 = 1 case Perfum-

G. P. ery, Or, fr. M. Muller.

K. C., 15 bales Twist, Order, from Marseilles.

G. de CHAMPEAUX,

Agent.

Hongkong, May 2, 1882.

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Occidental & Oriental Steam-

Ship Company.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO

JAPAN, THE UNITED

STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND

SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE,

VIA

THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS,

ATLANTIC & OTHER CONNECTING

STEAMERS.

THE S. S. COPTIC will be despatched

for San Francisco via Yokohama,

on TUESDAY, the 9th May, 1882, at 3 p.m.

Connection being made at Yokohama,

with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan

ports.

All Parcel Packages should be marked to

address in full, and same will be received

at the Company's Office, until 5 p.m. the

day previous to sailing.

A proportion of 2% made on all

RETURNED PASSAGE ORDERS made on all

Consular Invoices to accompany Over-

land, Mexican, Central and South American

Cargo, should be sent to the Company's

Offices addressed to the Collector of Customs,

San Francisco.

For further information as to Freight

or Passage, apply to the Agents of the

Company, No. 60A, Queen's Road Central.

CHAS. H. HASWELL, Jr.,

Agent.

Hongkong, May 2, 1882.

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Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor

Owners will be Responsible for

any Debt contracted by the Officers or

Crew of the following Vessels, during

their stay in Hongkong Harbour:—

AGATE, American barque, Captain Chas.

W. Brown, Captain.

BYLGA, German barque, Captain T. A.

Andersen, Captain.

CHARLES STEWART, American barque,

Capt. H. R. Powers, Master.

GLENVIEW, British 3-m. schooner, Capt.

D. Thomson, Captain.

J. A. BORLAND, American barque, Capt.

J. H. Kent, Douglas Lapraik & Co.

KILMARNOCK, British steamer, Captain

H. O'Neill, Gibb, Livingston & Co.

LANGSHAW, British steamer, Captain W.

R. Hunter, Simpson & Co.

MARTHA, British barque, Capt. McPherson,

Rozario & Co.

ORION, Austro-Hungarian steamer, Capt.

G. Mahachari, Melchers & Co.

ROOK TERRACE, British ship, Capt. J. S.

Hutchinson, P. & O. S. N. Co.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

May 1, Hainan, British steamer, 278,

J. Mooney, Halphong April 28, and Hol-

low 30, General—Apost & Sams Loosa.

May 1, Chinkiang, British steamer, 798,

S. M. Orr, Shanghai April 28, General—

STEWART & Co.

May 2, Bonita, German 3-m. schooner,

341, H. Hehr, Singapore Feb. 1, Thibet.

EDWARD SCHILLER & Co.

May 2, Djennah, French steamer, 2345,

de Boissac-Baron, Shanghai April 29,

Mails and General—MESSAGERIES MAR-

TIMES.

May 2, Hongkong, British steamer, from

Canton.

DEPARTURES.

May 2, Masahita, for Wussong.

2, Breconshire, for Saigon.

2, China, for Swatow.

2, Glenogier, for Canton.

2, Kilmerney, for Singapore.

2, Oceania, for Yokohama and San

Francisco.

2, Langshaw, for Nagasaki.

2, Cattertham, for Sydney, &c.

CLEARED.

Glenogier, for Fochow.

Fischer, for Saigon.

Casandra, for Takao and Sydney.

Gustaf & Marie, for Fochow.

Lion XIII., for Manila.

PASSENGERS.

Arrived.

Per Djennah, from Shanghai, for Hong-

kong, Messrs H. Johnston, B. H. Baston,

G. H. Guesier, and Mrs. Down; for Mar-

seilles, Mrs. Holland, 2 children and gar-

ment, Mr. and Mrs. Billequin and child,

Messrs G. Nicholson, and J. A. Thivet.

Per Chinkiang, from Shanghai, Mr

Ching, and 51 Chinese.

Per Hainan, from Halphong and Hol-

low, 20 Chinese.

DEPARTED.

Per Oceania, for Yokohama, His Excel-

lency Governor Jago de Gregorio, Messrs F. W.

Roussell, J. Dinouche, W. Spencer, W.

Gaskell, A. Bastos, K. Marques, J. H.

Mihner, P. de Oliveira, Lieut H. C. Mar-

tin, Capt. Pittman, and 5 Europeans; for

San Francisco, Rev. W. Chandler, wife and

3 children, 1 European, and 1553 Chinese.

Per Cattertham, for Saigon, Capt. and

Mrs. Lashman and child, Mr. R. Hades, Mrs.

Driscoll, 3 children and nurse, Messrs B.

Widerstrom, C. A. Johansson, and J.

Thomson; for Melbourne, Mrs. See Sang

Kui; for Colonies, 270 Chinese; for Singa-

pore, 370 Chinese.

Per China, for Swatow, 36 Chinese.

Per Kilmerney, for Singapore, 755 Chinese.

To DEPART.

Per Casandra, for Sydney, 2 Europeans,

and 7 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Chinkiang reports:

Left Shanghai at 6.45 a.m. on the 28th

April, and arrived in Hongkong at 7.30

p.m. on the 1st inst.; experienced light

variable winds and S.E. sea with thick N.E.

winds; thence to arrival moderate N.E. winds

and heavy S.E. sea with thick N.E. winds.

The German 3-masted schooner Bonita re-

ports: Left Singapore on 1st February,

fine weather with N.E. winds as far as lat.

11° N., long. 111° E. on the

into the United States both as Senator and citizen of your State, although at the time I did not fully concur with you.

I am, very truly, your friend,
R. W. SHUFELDT.

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Quotations.

HONGKONG, May 2.

OP'UM.—New Patna, cash...\$560 a 570
" Old " cash... "
" New Bonares, cash... 540

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| „ | New Malwa, credit,... | 840 |
| „ | Allowance, Taels..... | 40 |
| „ | Old Malwa, credit,... | 700 |
| „ | Allowance, Taels..... | 40 |
| Exchange | | |

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| Balk, Wire, | 3/8 1/2 |
| " Demand, | 3/8 1/2 a 3/9 |
| " 30 days' sight, | 3/9 a 3/9 1/2 |
| " 4 months' sight, | 3/9 1/2 a 3/9 1/2 |
| Credits, " | 3/9 1/2 |
| Documentary 4 months' sight, | 3/9 1/2 |
| India, Wire, | 22 1/2 |
| " demand, | 22 1/2 |
| Shanghai, demand, | 7 1/2 |
| " 30 days' sight, private | 7 1/2 |
| Gold Leaf, 99 1/2 fine | \$27.40 |
| Sovereigns, | \$8.34 |

Shares.

(For Share Quotations, see Page 4.)

(Taken at Messrs Falcöner & Co.'s Premises,
Queen's Road.)

HONGKONG, May 2.

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| BAROMETER— | 9 A.M.... | 29.933 |
| Do. | 1 P.M.... | 29.876 |
| Do. | 4 P.M.... | 29.814 |
| THERMOMETER— | 9 A.M.... | 71 |

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3 to 5 moderate. 5 to 7 fresh. 7 to 8 strong.
3 to 10 heavy. 10 to 12 violent.

STATE OF WEATHER.—A. Clear blue sky. C. Cloudy. D. Drizzly. F. Fog. G. Foggy. H. Hail. L. Lightning. M. Misty. O. Overcast. P. Parting shower. Q. Quasi. R. Rain. S. Snow. T. Thunder. U. Wind threatening. V. Visibility. W. Storm. Z. Calm. The letters are repeated to indicate any increase in the mean average of their signification.

RAIN.—The hours of rain for the previous 24 hours are registered from 1 to 24, and the quantity of water fallen indicated in inches, tenths and hundredths.

Shipping Intelligence.

The following lists are corrected from the latest London and Colonial Papers, and from other sources. Consignees are invited

vent of any inaccuracy occurring in this
 list as compiled from the papers and other
 information at his command. The Editor
 will, at all times, be glad to receive any
 additions to the list from those who have
 later advices, private or otherwise, than his
 own. —

VESSELS TO ARRIVE.
 AT HONGKONG.

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| 12. | C. Schuwater, | New York |
| 13. | 14. Corea, | London |
| 14. | 15. Paul, | Hamburg |
| 15. | 16. 17. (s.), | Sunderland |
| 16. | 18. C. Fleming (s.), | Hull |
| 17. | 19. Carl Ritter, | Hamburg |
| 18. | 20. Suzanne, | Cardiff |
| 19. | 21. Marathon, | London |
| 20. | 22. Belted Will, | London |
| 21. | 23. Tanjore, | Cardiff |
| 22. | 24. P. J. Carleton, | Cardiff |
| 23. | 25. Ice King (s.), | New York |
| 24. | 26. Grecian, | Cardiff |
| 25. | 27. Lucy A. Nickels, | New York |

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| 21. | Emblom (s.), | Cardiff |
| 22. | Loudoun Castle (s.), | London |
| 23. | Ethel Caine (s.), | Sunderland |
| 24. | C. D. Bryant, | New York |
| 25. | G. Mabel, | New York |
| 26. | Douglas (s.), | Berthon |
| 27. | Prinz Wilhelm (s.), | Hamburg |
| 28. | Ella S. Thayer, | Cardiff. |
| 29. | Konnure Castle, | |

BUT DATE OF DEPARTURE UNKNOWN.
 Minnie Allen, London
 Lady Bowen, Australia
 Melrose, Australia

LOADING FOR CHINA AND JAPAN PORTS.
 At London, — Steamers via Suez Canal.
 Genoa, Genoa
 Sailing Vessels.
 Titania.

stor (s.) Menalaus (s.)
 incus (s.)
 At Glasgow.
 At Cardiff.
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